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The Connection Between Animal and Human Health

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With more than 1,000 diseases recognized in humans and 60 percent of those classified as zoonotic — or having the ability to move between species — keeping animals healthy has never been more important. This session will explore the crucial connection between animal health and humans.

Discussion topics will include: What are the current trends in animals? From a public health perspective, what's the most troubling trend associated with animal health? How are federal agencies protecting consumers from animal diseases? How do producers and veterinarians protect the public from spreading zoonoses between the populations? Do veterinarians have the appropriate tools to control and prevent disease in animals? If not, what are the obstacles? Are they scientific, political, technical or structural? Is there a connection between human drug resistance and animal antibiotics?

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Tuesday, April 27, 2010

Charlie Palmer Steak

101 Constitution Ave. NW
Washington, D.C.

Keynote:

- The Honorable Fred Upton (R-Mich.)
US House of Representatives
- The Honorable Kurt Schrader (D-Ore.)
US House of Representatives

Panelists include:

- Dr. W. Ron DeHaven,
American Veterinary Medical Association
- Dr. Bernadette Dunham,
FDA Center for Veterinary Medicine
- Dr. Michael Greger,
Humane Society International
- Dr. Jennifer Greiner,
National Pork Producers Council
- Dr. Scott Hurd,
Iowa State University

8 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
8:15 a.m.	Welcome Remarks
8:20 a.m.	Opening Remarks
8:30 a.m.	Keynote Remarks
9:15 a.m.	Panel Discussion
10:25 a.m.	Closing Remarks
10:30 a.m.	Adjourn

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